



Release Notes

February 27th, 2011

Enhancements

- ECA Data: Fall 2010/2011, Winter 2010/2011, and Early Winter 2010/2011 ECA Results have been added to the Learning Connection. In addition, all test data is now named with both years to avoid confusion as to which year the data is for.
- Growth Model: Logged in View: Educators now have “accountability by class” view. The report allows teachers to view the growth of the students they taught last year. Educators can view a report for students in a class that was uploaded the prior year within LC. The report will only display students that took the ISTEP+ at that school and were there for 126 days prior to taking the exam.
- ISTAR Program Updates:
 - Biology has been added as a required area to the grade 10 assessment.
 - *Student Reports* icon removed. Reports are now generated in one of two places; Student Files in student list and under the ISTAR Reports heading.
 - All reports include student test number (STN).
 - Summary report in the Student File includes notes.
 - *Attachments* - users can now view a list of attachments from the Assessment Map page.
 - KR Monitoring Report NOW displays data in the field ***Last KR Finalization Date***
 - **The Compliance Report** is available under the ISTAR Reports heading for Administrators and Case managers of students in grades 3-10. The sections of the report will be populated once a case manager creates an ISTAR assessment with the purpose ISTAR in lieu of ISTEP+ after March 1, 2011.



- ISTAR: Administrator function of Add/Find:
 - All lists are alphabetized
 - Corporation was added as a filter
 - Student Type filter was changed to Grades
 - Administrators can remove students from TOR caseload
- Communities: The name of the community is now displayed above the tabs of each community.
- Community Notifications: HTML formatting, including hyperlinks, will now be active within notifications for announcements and forum
- Administration: An educator can be removed from all schools within the entire corporation at the corporation level
- Account/Login: Educators who are registering without registration codes can now enter their SPN Number, making it easier on the local administrator to approve these accounts
- Account/Login: The Change Password prompt will only appear after an educator has not logged in for 60 days